

Sub B1  
a neck to be fixed to a shaft,  
and formed by welding together  
a face member for forming the face,  
a crown member for forming the crown and  
a walled sole member for forming at least the sole and the  
wall,  
the walled sole member made by monoblock casting, and  
the face member and the crown member each made by plastic  
deformation processing.

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2. (Amended) A golf club head comprising

a face for hitting a golf ball,  
a crown,  
a sole,  
a sidewall extending from the periphery of the sole towards  
the crown excluding the face, and  
a neck to be fixed to a shaft, and formed by welding  
together  
a face member for forming the face,  
a crown member for forming the crown and  
a walled sole member for forming the sole, sidewall and  
neck,  
the face member and the crown member each made by plastic  
deformation processing.

3. (Amended) The golf club head according to claim 1, wherein  
the neck is formed by a neck member, and  
the neck member, face member, crown member and walled sole  
member are welded together.

4. (Amended) The golf club head according to claim 1 or 2,  
wherein  
the volume of the head is not less than 250 cm<sup>3</sup>.

5. (Amended) The golf club head according to claim 1 or 2,  
wherein  
the volume of the head is not less than 250 cm<sup>3</sup>, and  
the face member, crown member and walled sole member each  
have a specific gravity of not more than 5.0.

6. (Amended) The golf club head according to claim 3, wherein  
the volume of the head is not less than 250 cm<sup>3</sup>, and  
the face member, crown member, walled sole member and neck  
member each have a specific gravity of not more than 5.0.

7. (Amended) The golf club head according to claim 1, 2, or 3,  
wherein  
the monoblock casting is a lost-wax process.

8. (Amended) The golf club head according to claim 1, 2, or 3,  
wherein

the plastic deformation processing is a press forming of a  
rolled sheet metal.

9. (Amended) The golf club head according to claim 1 or 2,  
wherein

the volume of the head is not less than 300 cm<sup>3</sup>.

10. (Amended) The golf club head according to claim 1 or 2,  
wherein

a sweet spot height is not more than 28.0 mm.

11. (Amended) The golf club head according to claim 1 or 2,  
wherein

a depth of the center of gravity is not less than 36.0 mm.

Please add the following claims:

12. A golf club head comprising  
a face for hitting a golf ball,  
a crown,  
a sole,  
a sidewall extending from the periphery of the sole towards  
the crown excluding the face, and

a neck to be fixed to a shaft, wherein the golf club head is formed by welding together

a face member for forming the face,

a crown member for forming the crown and

Sub B1 wall, a walled sole member for forming at least the sole and the

the walled sole member made by monoblock casting, and

as the face member and the crown member each made by plastic deformation processing,

a volume of the head being not less than  $250 \text{ cm}^3$ ,

a sweet spot height of the head being not more than 28.0 mm, and

a depth of the center of gravity of the head being not less than 36.0 mm.

13. (Added) A golf club head according to claims 1, 2 or 12, wherein

a lateral moment of inertia of the head is not less than  $3500 \text{ cm}^4$ , and

a vertical moment of inertia of the head is not less than  $2000 \text{ cm}^4$ .--